Cardin, Shaheen, Kaine, Booker, Young, Romney, Cruz, and Rubio.

Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere, Transnational Crime, Civilian Security, Democracy, Human Rights, and Global Women's Issues: Senators Kaine (Chair), Merkley, Cardin, Shaheen, Murphy, Rubio, Cruz, Young, and Scott (SC).

Subcommittee on Africa and Global Health Policy: Senators Booker (Chair), Coons, Merkley, Schatz, Van Hollen, Scott (SC), Young, Paul, and Barrasso.

Subcommittee on East Asia, the Pacific, and International Cybersecurity Policy: Senators Van Hollen (Chair), Merkley, Schatz, Duckworth, Coons, Romney, Scott (SC), Hagerty, and Ricketts.

Subcommittee on Multilateral International Development, Multilateral Institutions, and International Economic, Energy, and Environmental Policy: Senators Duckworth (Chair), Coons, Schatz, Shaheen, Kaine, Barrasso, Romney, Hagerty, and Paul.

Senators Menendez and Risch are ex officio members of each subcommittee.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Committee announced the following subcommittee assignments for the 118th Congress:

Subcommittee on Children and Families: Senators Casey (Chair), Murray, Murphy, Kaine, Hassan, Smith, Tuberville, Paul, Murkowski, Romney, and Mullin.

Subcommittee on Employment and Workplace Safety: Senators Hickenlooper (Chair), Casey, Baldwin, Kaine, Luján, Markey, Braun, Marshall, Romney, Tuberville, and Budd.

Subcommittee Primary Health and Retirement Security: Senators Markey (Chair), Murray, Baldwin, Murphy, Hassan, Smith, Luján, Hickenlooper, Marshall, Paul, Collins, Murkowski, Braun, Mullin, and Budd.

Senators Sanders and Cassidy serve as ex officio members of each subcommittee.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 28 public bills, H.R. 1198–1225; and 16 resolutions, H. Res. 162–177, were introduced. Pages H914–16

Additional Cosponsors:

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Report Filed: A report was filed today as follows: H. Res. 166, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 347) to require the Executive Office of the President to provide an inflation estimate with respect to Executive orders with a significant effect on the annual gross budget, and for other purposes, and providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 30) providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Labor relating to "Prudence and Loyalty in Selecting Plan Investments and Exercising Shareholder Rights" (H. Rept. 118–4).

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative LaLota to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: The House recessed at 12:52 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. Page H885

Journal: The House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal by voice vote.

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Recess: The House recessed at 2:12 p.m. and reconvened at 5 p.m. Page H886

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Responding to the earthquakes in Türkiye and Syria on February 6, 2023: H. Res. 132, responding to the earthquakes in Türkiye and Syria on February 6, 2023, by a ²/₃ yea-and-nay vote of 414 yeas to 2 nays, Roll No. 120; Pages H886–90, H896–97

Amending the Communications Act of 1934 to extend the authority of the Federal Communications Commission to grant a license or construction permit through a system of competitive bidding: H.R. 1108, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to extend the authority of the Federal Communications Commission to grant a license or construction permit through a system of competitive bidding;

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Informing Consumers about Smart Devices Act: H.R. 538, to require the disclosure of a camera or recording capability in certain internet-connected devices, by a ²/₃ yea-and-nay vote of 406 yeas to 12 nays, Roll No. 121; and Pages H891–92, H897

Authorizing notaries public to perform, and to establish minimum standards for, electronic notarizations and remote notarizations that occur in or affect interstate commerce, to require any Federal court to recognize notarizations performed by a notarial officer of any State, to require any State to recognize notarizations performed by a notarial officer of any other State when the notarization was performed under or relates to a public Act, record, or judicial proceeding of the notarial officer's State or when the notarization occurs in or affects interstate commerce: H.R. 1059, to authorize notaries public to perform, and to establish minimum standards for, electronic notarizations and remote notarizations that occur in or affect interstate commerce, to require any Federal court to recognize notarizations performed by a notarial officer of any State, to require any State to recognize notarizations performed by a notarial officer of any other State when the notarization was performed under or relates to a public Act, record, or judicial proceeding of the notarial officer's State or when the notarization occurs in or affects interstate commerce.

Recess: The House recessed at 5:59 p.m. and reconvened at 6:30 p.m. Page H896

Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Sherrill wherein she resigned from the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Costa wherein he resigned from the Committee on Natural Resources.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Plaskett wherein she resigned from the Committee on Agriculture.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Bera wherein he resigned from the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology. Page H898

Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Crow wherein he resigned from the Committee on Armed Services.

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Committee Elections: The House agreed to H. Res. 164, electing Members to certain standing committees of the House of Representatives. Page H898

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H896–97 and H897.

Adjournment: The House met at 12 p.m. and adjourned at 8:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

REDUCE EXACERBATED INFLATION
NEGATIVELY IMPACTING THE NATION
ACT; PROVIDING FOR CONGRESSIONAL
DISAPPROVAL UNDER CHAPTER 8 OF
TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, OF THE
RULE SUBMITTED BY THE DEPARTMENT
OF LABOR RELATING TO PRUDENCE AND
LOYALTY IN SELECTING PLAN
INVESTMENTS AND EXERCISING
SHAREHOLDER RIGHTS

Committee on Rules: Full Committee held a hearing on H.R. 347, the "Reduce Exacerbated Inflation Negatively Impacting the Nation Act"; and H.J. Res. 30, providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Labor relating to "Prudence and Loyalty in Selecting Plan Investments and Exercising Shareholder Rights". The Committee granted, by record vote of 9-4, a rule providing for consideration of H.R. 347, the "Reduce Exacerbated Inflation Negatively Impacting the Nation Act", and H.J. Res. 30, Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Labor relating to "Prudence and Loyalty in Selecting Plan Investments and Exercising Shareholder Rights". The rule provides for consideration of H.R. 347, the Reduce Exacerbated Inflation Negatively Impacting the Nation Act, under a structured rule. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Oversight and Accountability or their respective designees. The rule provides that the bill shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill. The rule further makes in order only those amendments printed in the Rules Committee report. Each such amendment may be offered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. All points of order against the amendments are waived. The rule provides one motion to recommit. The rule further provides for consideration of H.J. Res. 30, providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Labor relating to "Prudence and Loyalty in Selecting Plan Investments and